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5 **BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE**  
**OFFICE OF THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER**

6 In the Matter of

No. G02-45

7 THE APPLICATION REGARDING THE  
8 CONVERSION AND ACQUISITION OF  
9 CONTROL OF PREMIER BLUE CROSS  
AND ITS AFFILIATES.

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

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11 TO: MIKE KREIDLER, Insurance Commissioner

12 AND TO: JOHN P. DOMEIKA, Attorney for PREMIER BLUE CROSS

13 AND TO: OTHER COUNSEL DESIGNATED ON ATTACHED DECLARATION OF  
14 SERVICE

15 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that MELANIE C. DELEON, Assistant Attorney General  
16 hereby appears in this action on behalf of the OFFICE OF THE INSURANCE  
17 COMMISSIONER'S STAFF. All further pleadings and correspondence, except original  
process, should be served upon the undersigned at the address shown.

18 DATED this 30<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2003.

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